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In the Claims:

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21. (previously presented) A dental device comprising: a scaler attached to a pick-up through a connection, said pick-up is connected to an amplifier which is connected to audio production device where said pick-up has a condenser microphone with a receptacle to pick up vibrations from said scaler.

22. (previously presented) A device as in claim 21 in which said audio production device is headphones.

23. (previously presented) A device as in claim 21 in which said amplifier has a volume control.

24. (previously presented) A device as in claim 21 in which said audio production device has a volume control.

25. (previously presented) A device as in claim 21 in which said audio production device connects to said amplifier through a plug being inserted into a plug jack.

26. (previously presented) A device as in claim 21 in which said amplifier has a clip attached to one side.

27. (previously presented) A device as in claim 21 in which said amplifier has a power source connected to it.

28. (previously presented) A device as in claim 27 in which said power source is a battery.

29. (previously presented) A device as in claim 21 in which said connection between said audio production device and said amplifier is wireless.

30. (Currently amended) A device as in claim 21 in which said connection between said pickup and said amplifier is wireless.

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31. (Currently amended) A method for root planning comprising using a device having a scaler attached to a pick-up through a connector, having said pick-up is connected to an amplifier which is connected to audio production device where said pick-up has a condenser microphone with a receptacle to pick up vibrations from said scaler, using said scaler on teeth and having listen~~ing~~ed to said audio production device.

32. (Currently amended) A method as in claim 31 further comprising having said audio production ~~means~~ device is headphones.

33. (Currently amended) A method as in claim 31 further comprising having said amplifier ~~means~~ has a volume control.

34. (Currently amended) A method as in claim 31 further comprising having said audio production ~~means~~ device has a volume control.

35. (Currently amended) A method as in claim 31 further comprising having said audio production device ~~connects~~ connecting to said amplifier through a plug being inserted into a plug jack.

36. (previously presented) A method as in claim 31 further comprising having said amplifier has a clip attached to one side.

37. (previously presented) A method as in claim 31 further comprising having said amplifier has a power source connected to it.

38. (previously presented) A dental device comprising scaler attached to a pick-up through a connection, said pick-up is connected to an amplifier which is connected to audio production device, where said amplifier has a volume control, where said pick-up has a condenser microphone with a receptacle to pick up vibrations from said scaler and where said amplifier has a power source connected to it.